



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of	:	<b>Confirmation No. 2771</b>
Arne STAVLAND et al.	:	Attorney Docket No. 2002_0417A
Serial No. 10/088,914	:	Group Art Unit 1712
Filed September 20, 2002	:	Examiner Philip C. Tucker
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**RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated August 23, 2005, the period for response having been extended for three months by the attached petition, please amend the present application as follows: